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CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH NEWS

Sunday, April 29th.
11 A.M.—Church School and Mr. Reed's Temperance Talk.
3 P.M.—Oddfellows Service. There will be no service at Alma Mater.
7.30 P.M.—Eleventh Commandment.
On May 3rd in the Theatre, an Irish night in costume by the Wainwright choir assisted by Mrs. Cousier and Miss Tory for readings; also a violinist and cornetist will assist.

This Week's Resolve

Put an X in the brackets beside the one or more resolves you decide to make.

() I will strive to think first of the welfare and happiness of others.

() If being misunderstood was a part of the price Jesus paid, then I am willing to be misunderstood for His sake.

() I will try to live this week so that nothing I do will make others think less of Jesus or His Power to Save from sin.

The play, "Safety First" put on by local talent was a real hit judging by the way people laughed and applauded. Mrs. Johnstone was a perfect Irish maid, and she can faint and scream to perfection. Mr. Johnstone made a hit in the part of the insane man. He had a hard part to play but did it well. Gordon Fenton and Rev. M. L. Wright, as doubles in the last scene, created an uproarious laughter and Rogers Wright emphasized those "Peachy eyes" to the delight of all. Mrs. Simmons and Miss Magrath played their part well, especially in the "mourning scene" and Mr. Schon created a furor of excitement among the children with his long dangerous looking knife. Needless to say he made his part most real to the audience. Mrs. Jack made

an ideal Turkish girl, and Mrs. Locke can be quite dignified and rather severe to the surprise of all. Mrs. Elford was the capable play manager. About one hundred dollars was realized.

ANGELICAN CHURCH

A Confirmation will be held by the Lord Bishop of Edmonton in the Masonic Hall on Sunday, April 28th at 11 A. M. He will be the preacher at the service.

A. M. Trendell, Vicar Wainwright

ANGELICAN CHURCH

All those ladies interested in the formation of a W. A. are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Pryce Jones on Wednesday next, May 1st at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

A. M. Trendell, Vicar Wainwright

NOTICE RE CHURCH PARADE

To the Officers and Members of Irma Lodge No. 56 I.O.O.F. and all Oddfellows within the District: please note that the Lodge will parade to the Irma United Church for Divine Service to commemorate the one hundred and tenth anniversary of the Order, on the afternoon of Sunday, April 28th. Meeting at the Lodge room at 2 P.M. Sharp.

Chas. Wilbraham, Sec.

TAKE NOTICE

The Choir of Wainwright United Church are putting on their concert in Keifer's Hall in Irma on Friday evening, May 3rd. Everyone come. It will be a real treat for music lovers. Such well known artists as Mrs. G. L. Hudson, Capt. Edwards, Mrs. Telford, Mrs. Clark and others will take part.

Admission: Adults 50c; Children 25c.

Mr. M. W. Misener, piano tuner of Edmonton, will be in town some time in the latter end of May. All those wishing to have their pianos tuned please leave word either at the Hotel or with Mr. Love.

FARMERS BUSY ON THE LAND

Seeding has been under way for the past week and several of the Irma farmers have completed sowing the wheat and are busy plowing for oats and barley. The weather for the last few days has been nice and warm making ideal seeding conditions. A lot of sweet clover is being sown, most of the local growers have sold out of seed and some who have been late in securing their seed are finding it difficult to secure it.

CARE OF BABY CHICKS ON ARRIVAL

By Alex Taylor's Hatchery, Winnipeg Manitoba.

When your Baby Chicks arrive to have a comfortable home prepared for them. The lid of the chick box acts as a brooder and should be kept until you have your brooder ready for them or give them to broody hens. Most farm folks have a brooder house 10 x 10 feet. This will accommodate 200 to 500 chicks with a hot burning Colony Brooder Stove to mother them. The Brooder should be tested and operated several days before chicks arrive. The Temperature of the brooder for the first week should be 95 degrees; second week 90 degrees; third week 85 degrees. The temperature of the brooder house five feet from the floor should be 65 to 70 degrees. Once you have raised chicks with a brooder you will lose all your desire to use broody hens. Give Baby Chicks water with the chill removed. Feed all the buttermilk they will drink, have plenty of small chick grit, oyster shell and charcoal in hoppers before them. Feed a Baby Chick Food of 50 per cent. Fine Oatmeal or a well mixed Commercial Chick Food. Hopper feeding is a Sanitary Poultry Practice and is especially valuable in preventing disease. Feed chicks what they can consume in 15 or 20 minutes, then remove what is left and feed four or five times a day. Chicks grow when they are consuming the maximum of food and they will only do this when they are hungry between feedings. Feed all the grain in a little of clover or straw. Greenfeed should be given at noon. Lettuce or chopped dandelions are very good. A good thing is to give the chicks a warm mash at noon of equal parts of shorts, crushed grain, Victory Meal and Cornmeal, a pinch of salt and pepper to flavor. Also mix with same your clean table scraps. Cod Liver Oil in the chick mash is essential during cold weather or dull days; it develops bone, muscle, plumage and keeps chicks supplied with the necessary vitamins. For chicks up to one month, use one ounce in ten pounds of dry mash. Water dishes or fountains should be washed every day. Keep chicks warm and dry, change the litter often, especially if you have a large number together. Protect chicks against colds and draughts.

CONSIDERABLE SWEET CLOVER BEING SOWN THIS SPRING

Apparently there will be a large acreage of Sweet Clover sown in Alberta this spring, and looking at the matter from the standpoint of advancement along agricultural lines, this is a splendid sign. Sweet Clover means feed and feed means stock. It means another thing that is just as important and that is a beneficial effect that the growing of this crop will have upon the soil. Such leguminous crops as sweet clover add humus and fertility, both of which are very essential to the permanence of our agriculture. As an indication of the new acreage that will be sown the Bacteriological department of the Provincial School of Agriculture, Vermilion, report that they have sent out over 1300 bottles of legume culture this spring already. This is sufficient to seed 1300 bushels of seed, or seed sufficient for nearly 6,000 acres. Last year over 3500 bottles were sent out to farmers, and shipments to date are ahead of those of a year ago. The culture sells at 35c per bottle which gives a low cost for this very beneficial of approximately 12c per acre. With the thousands of acres already treated with Nitro Culture, this is already one of the main feed and pasture crops grown in Alberta.

W. J. Elliott, Principal

NEWS ITEMS FROM KINSELLA

The Kinsella pool room and barber shop has been closed for some time. Mr. Burege, the new owner, up to the present, has been unable to get the required recommendation for a license from the Council.

Word was received by Mrs. Overbo, that her sister, Mrs. C. E. White, of Ottawa, Ont., was severely burned in some way when her clothes caught fire. Mrs. White is reported to be doing nicely, but will take considerable time before the burns will be healed. Nunn and son are now located on the Murray farm, a mile north of town. They last fall purchased the farm owned by Murray, eight miles north-east of town, and have just recently exchanged for the one they are now on.

Mr. Olaf Overbo, old timer of this district, left this week for British Columbia to spend the summer. Mr. Overbo has made his home with O. Overbo during the winter months.

The sheep industry is growing popular, and a number of farmers are contemplating shortly to secure a few to start with. One rancher has a round three hundred, and he reports there is more money made in sheep than either cattle or grain growing.

Snow fell to the depth of several inches on Sunday and Monday of this week, and ending up with rain on Tuesday. This, with moisture received last week, will put the ground in excellent shape for quick germination of all early grain.

The Lake Vernon school opened on Monday after being closed for Easter holidays, with Miss Maxwell in charge.

The Marbury family have moved on to the old Fraser farm, now owned by Thom Skori.

Kinsella is showing some real improvement by having had a carload of cinders laid on the main street. This was badly needed, owing to the muddy condition of the street on wet days. E. Williams, of the Seaside, Cochrane, has made application to the Council to erect poles along main street in order to light the town.

Ebe Sutherland has been confined to his house, after receiving injuries while attending to his duties in the barn.

V. A. Justik, local agent for the Massey-Harris farm machinery, was fortunate in being awarded a contract from the Hudson Bay company to supply fourteen families in the Vermilion and Kinsella districts with farm equipment. The order calls for one wagon (tess box), one breaking plow, and one disc harrow, complete with doubletrees, to each one of the new settlers, which are to arrive any day now, to take possession of their new homes erected by the Hudson Bay company last fall.

The wagons, discs and plows are all set up in Mr. Justik's yard ready for delivery and are a fine lot of farm equipment.

Mrs. J. J. Overbo has returned to her home after visiting with her sister Mrs. H. E. Edmy, of Edmonton for a week. Her daughter Alice accompanied her.

VIKING

C. H. Webb, of south of Kinsella, appeared before Magistrate H. A. Meredith, on Wednesday last, on a cattle stealing charge. He was remanded to stand trial at the next session of the supreme court, and was given his freedom on producing \$2000.00 bail. Gordon Winkler, Edmonton barrister, appeared for the accused. The prosecution had as a material witness the government stock inspector, of St. Boniface.

Arrangements are being made to stage a boxing match here on or about May 24th, between Young Dorwood, of Innisfree and Curly Kid Archibald, of Irma.

The Gratton Coulee livestock shipping association made a shipment of hogs and cattle to Edmonton on Tuesday.

Sunday, Mr. A. G. Walker was taken suddenly ill and Dr. Murray was called and relieved him and we are pleased to report that he is again able to be around.

NEWS ITEMS FROM JARROW

The regular meeting of the community club was held on Monday evening. After the business of the meeting was concluded an excellent picture show was put on by Mr. H. H. McDougall and B. McDougall. The pictures were thoroughly enjoyed by all present as was the dainty lunch served after. This was one of the best meetings held by the club. It seems as though we are improving with age. The next meeting will be held on Monday 6th, Mrs. Morby, Ward Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Meakin, are the entertainers for this meeting.

H. Barton returned from Mossin, Sask., on Saturday, Mrs. Barton will not be home for awhile.

The girls club are planning an entertaining their mothers at a banquet on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Whitford has the new meat market almost completed. This building and the new garage built by W. Morgan is quite an improvement to Main Street.

Miss Marie Worth, of Viking has been visiting Mrs. McGregor for the past week.

Mr. W. Boyd of Ryley took possession of the Fisher and Bridgeman store on Monday last.

Rev. Mr. McNeil and bride arrived in town on Friday last.

ROSEBERRY NEWS

The United Church services were resumed at Roseberry on Sunday, April 21st at 4.30 with a very good attendance. The Irma choir gave us a pleasant surprise by furnishing music which was much enjoyed by all.

On May 5th there will be an election of officers for the Sunday School, for the coming term. Parents should try to come, and take an interest in this work as it is an Church and Sunday School that the highest ideals are placed before the growing intellects.

Our rural school boards are taking a step in the right direction by supplying the kids with some good sports equipment.

Roseberry, Battle Heights, as well as several others of our neighboring schools are entering the musical festival to be held at Wainwright, May 22nd.

Mrs. A. A. Taylor has returned from Cobourg, Ontario, where she had been called, owing to the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. G. L. McLaughlin.

Wedding Bells

REBER - SZOKE

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at Wainwright, Alta., on the afternoon of Monday, April 15th, 1929 when Helen Alicia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Szoke of Irma became the bride of Lewis Arthur Reber, third son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reber of Hardisty. Miss Mary Hubman of Irma attended the bride while Mr. Paul Szoke, brother of the bride attended the groom. Rev. Father M. E. Murphy performed the ceremony, the bridal party returned to the home of the bride where a delicious supper was served to a few friends and neighbors.

A well attended dance was given in the evening in the Lewisville school. Kroszer's Orchestra furnished the music till the small wee hours.

The happy couple will reside on their farm north-east of Irma.

NOTICE

Applications will be received by the Secretary Treasurer of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 for the assessing of the said Municipal District. Applications to be in the hands of the Secretary Treasurer before the next meeting of Council on the 14th day of May, 1929.

R. J. Tate, Sec'y-Treas.

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Wilt thou take her for thy "pard" for better or worse? to fondly guard, till hauled off in a hearse? Wilt thou give her all the jack her little purse will pack, buy her a car, plenty of clothes and a seal skin sark? Wilt thou comfort and support her, father, mother, aunt, Jemima, uncle John, 13 sisters and a brother? And his face grew pale and blank. It was too late to jilt, as through the floor he sank, he sadly said: "I wilt."

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TENDERS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of Strawberry Plains School District No. 1709 at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer to noon May 1st for the erection of a one roomed frame school building after Plan Number 63-C-704. Plans and specifications may be obtained from Secretary-Treasurer on payment of a deposit of \$5.00. Plans must be returned within 24 hours, and deposit will then be refunded. A marked cheque for five per cent. of the amount of tender should be enclosed with each tender as a guarantee that same is bona-fide. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Mildred J. Chase, Sec'y-Treas.
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Think Of the Future

A condition of prosperity prevails throughout Canada from coast to coast. It is not confined to any one section nor to any one industry or group of industries. There is, in fact, a generality to the existent favorable situation probably without a parallel in the past history of the Dominion. This is not to say that everybody or every industry is equally prosperous, or, indeed, that there are not those who do not enjoy prosperity. The contrary is true. But taking Canada as a whole, and in the major activities of its people, prosperity reigns today.

Such a condition is, of course, gratifying. Nobody would have it otherwise, and all desire that it shall be long continued. But there are dangers to be avoided in times of more or less universal prosperity which do not present themselves when times are hard and business depression rather than business activity is in evidence. It is an old and often proved statement that many people who can and have stood strong and true through the strain and stress of adversity, and won through to ultimate victory, have cracked and broken when favored with prosperity and success.

Canada is prosperous today, and it should take full advantage of its present favorable position. The people are optimistic and should continue so. They should continue to show vision, courage, and engage in constructive development. They could be unworthy of their heritage and the future possibilities of their Dominion if they acted otherwise. But they should nevertheless have a care in the enthusiasm of the glowing present not to forget the years to come.

Just as night follows day, winter follows summer, youth grows into old age, and death is the ultimate end of birth, so it is inevitable that, in course of time, depression in business will follow buoyancy. A pendulum swings just as far one way as it does the other. It is a wise man and a wise community, therefore, which when times are good and development is the order of the day, takes thought of, and prepares for that future day when retrenchment may become a necessity.

If growth and expansion is artificially pushed too far; if an individual or a community becomes committed to large future obligations in order to further speed up present development, they may find themselves in great future difficulty.

All countries, all communities, most individuals, have passed through such bitter experiences. Western Canada has not been immune from them, and those who recall the "boom" days of the past know that the period of adjustment following the collapse of a "boom" was much longer than the "boom" itself, and that in the final analysis the losses far out-weighed the gains.

At the present time all our Western cities, towns, villages and rural municipalities are planning their programmes for 1929. Times are prosperous, the country is growing, and the almost universal demand is for increased expenditures to provide this that, today it is possible and comparatively easy to borrow the money to carry such enterprises through, and to meet the initial interest charges. But a debt is created which will remain for years to come. When the present buoyancy subsides, when money is less easy to obtain, when depression and some degree of unemployment replaces present favorable conditions in business, will the load be too heavy to carry?

It will be unless care is exercised by all civic and municipal authorities in seeing that the safety line in expansion is not passed, and that expenditures now made are for permanent constructive work which will be revenue-producing in the years to come. Extravagance in ideas is no more justified in times of prosperity than they are at other times. It is in those "other times" that the bills really have to be paid.

Developmental works are necessary and are justified in times of prosperity, when they would be suicidal, in fact quite impossible, in times of depression. When depression prevails it is frequently impossible to provide for even imperative and wholly justifiable expenditures. These must be provided when times are prosperous. It then becomes an equally imperative duty to provide them.

But non-essentials, no matter how desirable they may be in other respects, should be carefully considered less citizens, the taxpayers, are unwittingly swept into the authorization of expenditures which later on they may have cause to bitterly regret.

Such words of warning are unnecessary in times of depression; it is now, when prosperity is with us, that warnings are necessary and should be heeded.



Farm Loans Soon Available

Ottawa Ready To Administer System To Canadian Farmers
Alberta and British Columbia lead the provinces of Canada in the move to take advantage of the long term loan system, given to farmers through the Canadian Farm Loan Board. In these two provinces provincial boards have been nominated by orders-in-council. This was announced by Dr. J. D. MacLean, commissioner of the Central Board, following the first meeting of that body since he returned from an organization tour of the west.

At the meeting, a statement given out by Dr. MacLean says, there was general discussion with respect to the progress of the work of the board, both at head office and where the branches are organizing. Machinery in Ottawa is complete for the administration of the long loan system to Canadian farmers. It remains only for the provinces to form their boards and for the federal and provincial bodies to deal with the applications for funds made to them. He expects loans to be made to farmers in the near future.

Record Beet Acreage Predicted

All records for beet acreage in southern Alberta threaten to go by the boards in 1929. Pre-sign-up indications are that there will be over 10,000 acres of land planted to this crop if the spring outlook is so satisfactory.



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W. N. U. 1781

Prince Has Turned Author

Writes Foreword To Final Volume Of Merchant Navy

The Prince of Wales has turned author, or at least has written a foreword to the third and final volume of the Merchant Navy by Sir Archibald S. Hurd. The foreword was written in his capacity as Master of the Merchant Navy and fishing fleet, conferred upon him by the King last year.

Paying warm tribute to the British mercantile marine, the Prince refers to the thrill that he has always experienced in his world-wide travels at the sight of the red ensign. He refers to the work of the merchant marine in the world war as having provided the final test of a heroism unparalleled in history.

A SPRING TONIC

AN AID TO HEALTH

You Can Lay the Foundation Of Good Health Now By Building Up Your Blood Through the Use Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

The good old fashion of taking a tonic in the Springtime, like most of the customs of our grandparents, is based upon sound common sense and good medical practice. Winter is always a trying time for those who are not in perfect health. Many men, women and children go through a winter on reserve strength they have stored up during the sunny summer months, and grow increasingly pale and languid as the spring days approach. A tonic for the blood and nerves at this time will do much for such people, by putting color in the cheeks and banishing that tired feeling that worries thousands of people at this season of the year.

It is impossible to be energetic if your blood is thin and weak, or if your nerves are frayed or shattered. You cannot compete with others if you do not get refreshing sleep at night, or if your appetite is poor or you are losing weight. You need a tonic at this time to add to your efficiency now, as well as to save you from suffering later on. And in all the realm of medicine, there is no safer or better tonic than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills tone and enrich the blood which circulates through every portion of the body, strengthening solid nerves and weak organs, and bringing a feeling of new strength and energy to weak, easily tired, dependent men, women and children.

Mrs. L. Hupman, Summerville, Centre, N.S., writes: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been of the greatest benefit to me. A few years ago I was in a bad state of health, and could scarcely go about, and doing my household work left me completely used up. Everything seemed to worry me, and I was in a very discouraged condition, when I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I soon found the pills helping me, and continuing their use I fully regained my health. Since then I always take a few boxes in the Spring to build me up for the hot weather, and always I find the best results. I therefore cheerfully recommend these pills as the best of health builders."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

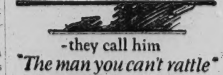
The Newest Invention

Wrist Watch When Worn Three Hours Winds Itself

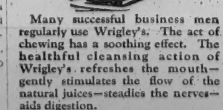
A self-winding watch has been invented by a Lancashire artisan. Finding that seventy-five per cent of watch troubles were caused by dirt or moisture entering through the aperture of the winder, he set out to make a watch which would be completely enclosed. In two and a half years, working in his spare time, he succeeded. The new wrist watch winds itself. To keep it going all the owner has to do is to wear it for three hours a day. It can not be overwound.

Lots of people make trouble and then don't know what to do with it.

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Farmers Show Interest

In Valuable New Book

"Field and Farmyard" Being Distributed Free To Farmers
The new book "Field and Farmyard," which is being offered free to farmers by Imperial Oil Limited, has aroused a great deal of interest among farmers, and is creating for itself a great deal of favorable comment.

The book deals with practical farming problems covering different phases of cropping and cultivating, as well as livestock breeding, and has been judged by all classes of farmers in all sections of the country as a most authoritative work. In publishing the book, Imperial Oil Limited secured the services of a large number of outstanding authorities, and were fortunate enough to have these men, whose names are by-words in Canadian Agriculture, cover individually the subjects on which they are admittedly experts.

Dr. C. E. Saunders, producer of "Moulin Wheat," is one of the noted authorities whose views on grain farming are incorporated in "Field and Farmyard." Other men whose reputations are familiar to most Canadian farmers, and who are contributors to the book are: W. L. Carlyle, manager of the E. P. Ranch, Alberta; Robt. M. Holtz, a Fieldman for the Canadian Hiredmen's Association; Col. Bartley Hall, Hon. President of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club; W. A. Dryden, chairman of National Livestock Records Board; Col. Robert McEwen, President of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association; Thomas McMillan, M.P., one of Ontario's most famous farmers; Geo. B. Rothwell, Dominion Agricultural Commissioner; Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Agriculture for Manitoba and well-known Western farmer, and many others.

The general information contained in the book has been compiled and edited by Mr. J. H. Marshall, formerly Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Alberta. The book is being distributed and recommended to farmers by Hon. W. B. Motherwell, Federal Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. John Martin, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario. Distribution of the book is now being carried out, and a large demand for copies is being met. The book is at no charge, a tremendous amount of valuable farming suggestions and information contained in it, Imperial Oil Limited has instituted a service quite unique in the industrial history of Canada.

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Primitive Lights

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Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms without any inconvenience to the child, and so effectively that they pass from the body unperceived. They thoroughly cleanse the stomach and bowels and leave them in a condition not favorable to worms, and there will be no revival of the pests.

"I wonder why they say 'Amens' and not 'Awomen' Bobby."

"Because they sing hymns and not hers, stupid."

No one need endure the agony of corns with Holloway's Corn Remover at hand to remove them.

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Terry: "Not when she wasn't good-looking."

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The bulkier articles can be transported across the world at a speed of 100 miles an hour in a new British aeroplane which has recently passed the fullest flying tests.

Its spacious cabin looks like a railway baggage van, for the machine has been built as a "tramp" of the skyways. It is known as the Vickers Belmore, and can be used as a freight-carrier, for the transport of troops or as a long-distance bomber.

The two Napier Lion engines have 1,000 horse-power, and with extra tanks to carry additional petrol the machine could remain in the air for between seventy and eighty hours.

Electricity supplies the lighting of this aerol pantechnicon. The sides and roof are reinforced with wooden stays, and the floor, built up of wood in the manner of the Underground railway carriage, is similarly strengthened.

The Oil Of Power.—It is not claimed for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil that it will remedy every ill, but its uses are so various that it may be looked upon as a general pain killer. It has achieved that greatness for itself and its excellence is known to all who have tested its virtues and learned by experience.

Expenditures On Canadian Roads

In 1927 federal, provincial and municipal expenditures on the improvement and maintenance of Canadian roads amounted to \$45,750,000.

Asthma Cannot Last when the greatest of all asthma specifics is used. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy assuredly deserves this exalted title. It has to its credit thousands of cases which other preparations have failed to benefit. It brings help to even the most severe cases and brings the patient to a condition of blessed relief. Surely suffering from asthma is needless when a remedy like this is so easily secured.

Prof. "Can you give me an example of a paradox?"
Piebe: "A man walking a mile but only moving two feet."

Simple Precautions Against FLU

Sore Throat —

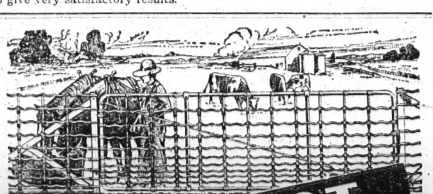
— The Danger Signal

Health Authorities Point Out The Necessity Of Treating The Simple Cold At Its Beginning

Nearly every case of "Flu" starts with a simple cold. At first the throat is sore—often just a little hoarse—soon the infection goes lower—then the chest is affected. A safe plan is to gargle the throat three times daily with "Nerviline"—this will keep the throat free from germs. If there is any sign of tightness in the chest, rub on Nerviline—every drop will penetrate deeply—congestion will be relieved—the cold will break up quickly. Many a dangerous case of "Flu" can be avoided by this simple home treatment.

Of course it is always wise to take some relaxing medicine, and for this purpose immediate results will be secured from Dr. Hamilton's Pills—they purge the system of impurities and carry off a lot of disease-breeding wastes.

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Every British Dominion Has An Independent Function In The League of Nations Body

One fact which has been made clear by the recent session of the League of Nations at Geneva is that Canada and every British Dominion has a definite and independent function in that body. Despite the conditions under which this country entered the League and the World Court, there still remains in the minds of some European statesmen the erroneous idea that Great Britain is the spokesman for the whole Empire.

Several episodes during the last session brought this subject to the fore, and in such a way, as to make the position of the Dominions abundantly clear. One of these had reference to the World Court, when exception was taken by several European delegates to a British delegation being separately represented even if the question dealt with was of paramount importance to that Dominion.

Such a contention is absolutely contrary to the whole basis of Dominion inclusion in the League and the World Court and the British delegate, Sir Cecil Hurst, replied very forcibly with the statement that even if an English Judge was on the court, the Dominions would have the right of representation should it be dealing with a question which directly affected their interests.

Neither Canada nor any of the self-governing Dominions have ever recognized the right of Motherland delegates to vote or speak for them, and the sooner this is clearly understood by all member states of the League, the sooner will progress be made in matters affecting our later days.

Canadians are heart and soul behind the general idea and ideals for the maintenance of world peace of the League, but they will never be satisfied to take any position of inferiority in its councils, or relegate their vital interests to any one but their national representatives.

Prospects Bright In Maritime Section

Betterment In The Economic Conditions Now Apparent

Since the first of the year, there has been an increase in car loadings for the Atlantic region of the Canadian National Railways of 3,100 cars over the same period last year. This forms a very good index as to the economic conditions of the Maritimes. Numerous large works have been undertaken including pulp and paper mills and additions to hydro-electric plants. The cold storage facilities at Halifax are rapidly nearing completion and they will bring Halifax in line with the most modern ports on the Atlantic seaboard. A cold and dry storage warehouse is also under construction at Moncton, and this should prove a very valuable addition to the facilities for the handling of products requiring this class of storage. Altogether the prospects look very bright for the continuance of the betterment in the economic condition of the Maritime provinces. Various mining developments are under way and there has been considerable increase in capital investments both for new buildings and for additions to existing plants.

Sure To Hear Of Them

"Palpatingly, the infatuated young man sought counsel at the bazaar of an ancient and prayed that the ancient tell him how he might learn of his fair lady's faults."

"Go forth among her women friends," spoke the venerable one, "and praise her in their hearing."

"Is he mean?"

"Mean! He's so mean that if he were a ghost he wouldn't give you a fright."



"Why is baby's bed so high?"

"My husband and I sleep soundly and that is to hear him lie full out in the night."—Lustige Kolner, Zeitung, Cologne.

W. N. U. 1781

Western Man Promoted

W. E. Watson, Well-Known Livestock Man, Appointed Manager Of Montreal Livestock Yards

W. E. Watson, one of the best known livestock men in western Canada, and for some years past a prominent official of the departments of colonization and agriculture of the Canadian National Railways, has been appointed to the management of the Montreal Livestock Yards, succeeding Mr. O. J. Tansey, who has resigned. The announcement was made by Major P. L. C. Bond, on behalf of the stockyards company, Mr. Watson having taken over his duties on April 1st.

Mr. Watson is a native of Grey County, Ont., but came west many years ago. He is a graduate of Manitoba Agricultural College, and for a number of years was attached to the Manitoba Department of Agriculture. Later he joined the Dominion Livestock Branch as swine grader for the provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. In February, 1924, he joined the departments of colonization and agriculture of the National Railways at Winnipeg as assistant agricultural agent, and in 1925 was advanced to the position of agricultural agent. In 1926 he was appointed superintendent of colonization and agriculture for the National System for the district of Saskatchewan, and in 1927 was transferred to the Winnipeg offices of the department as superintendent of farm employment, which position he occupied until going to Montreal.

Approved Dairy Herd Sires

Reports Of Canadian Record Of Performance Guide To Securing Good Animals

Owners of dairy herds looking for sires bred from high producing stock would find great assistance in locating suitable animals in the reports of the "Canadian Record of Performance for Pure-Bred Dairy Cattle." This publication, issued each year by the Live Stock Branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, contains the records of the hundreds of cows tested during the year that reach the standard for registration. The breeds thus tested include the Ayrshire, the Brown Swiss, the French-Canadian, the Guernsey, the Holstein-Friesian, the Jersey, the Red polled, and the Shorthorn. In all these breeds provision is made for the registration of bulls, which are admitted after having four progeny in the Record of Performance, each from a different dam. Report No. 20 of the "Canadian Record of Performance" contains the names and registered progeny of a large number of sires. By referring to the pages of this report one may discover that there are quite near their homes herds from which they may strengthen their milking herd or secure a sire of approved breeding.

Our Potential Wealth

Canada Destined To Be The Richest Country In The World

In a recent article written for a Toronto financial paper, James E. Boyle, Professor of Agricultural Economics at Cornell University, states:—

"Canada is a country of vast virgin resources. The United States is sometimes spoken of as the richest country in the world, due to the immense progress of both agriculture and industry in that country. The fact is, however, that Canada is a country of larger area, and of far greater wealth in natural resources per capita. With a balanced development of Canadian resources coupled with an equally balanced growth of those two great arteries of economic life—transportation and banking—Canada is destined to be the wealthiest country in the world. Already her exports per capita have a value four times those of the United States."

Makes No Difference

The average time, the New York Telegram points out, taken by a fast railroad train to pass a grade crossing is seven seconds—whether there happens to be anything on the crossing or not.

The secret of life is not to do what one likes, but to try to like what one has to do.

A League of Nations committee has set the cost of the World War at \$362,500,000,000.

Spring Song



"What a fight that fellow gave!" And so on, into the night. This is one of several photographs published by the Tourist Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway to remind the unhappy angler that "Spring has come—and all the streams are open." Photographed near Lake Archambault, north of Montreal.

Will Attract Hunters

Plenty Of Big Game To Be Found In Alaska

As a big game country, Alaska comes a close second to Africa, despite its lack of lion, elephant and rhino. Furthermore, it is likely to attract hunters longer than the latter terrain, for here is less annual "cleaning up" of a district.

What is even more important to the territory back of Anchorage and the Alaska railroad, are plenty of moose, caribou, mountain sheep and goat, and black and brown bear.

What is even more important to the ordinary hunter—it costs less to outfit for the Alaskan hinterland than to attempt Nainital.

Building Two Ways

The statement made at the convention of contractors held in Hamilton that material used in construction was now almost entirely of Canadian origin and manufacture was something to mull over. We build two ways when we build that way.

A Hazardous Occupation

Natural Scientists Face Many Dangers In Tropical Jungles

Pursuit of moths and butterflies in the tropical jungles of Ecuador is a hazardous occupation, according to W. Judson Coxe, member of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, who returned from a protracted expedition.

Coxe told of meeting bird-eating spiders the size of dinner plates and killing venomous reptiles in the haunts of rare and beautiful butterflies. One of the spiders encountered, Coxe said, he was forced to shoot with a revolver as it was about to spring at him.

Rattlesnakes which give no warning when attacking, were brought back by the scientist. They are known as "Ecco" or "X" snakes because of their markings and have "rattles" which make no noise.

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RECEIVES NEW APPOINTMENT



R. D. PURDY

The Alberta Wheat Pool announces the appointment of R. D. Purdy as manager of Alberta Pool Elevators Limited, to succeed G. M. Hah, retired. Mr. Purdy has been manager of Alberta Wheat Pool Organization since January, 1925, and this change makes him manager of the subsidiary organization known as the Pool Elevators, as well. Alberta Pool Elevators operate more than 310 country elevators in Alberta, as well as three terminals on the Pacific coast. Mr. Purdy came to the Wheat Pool from the Bank of Montreal, he having been assistant manager of the Edmonton branch. He was born in Brighton, Ontario, and came West in 1905. He served twenty years with the banking business before coming to the Pool.

Manitoba To Have

Airplane Factory

Seven Acres Of Land In St. Boniface Sold For Site

An airplane manufacturing plant, besides as the greatest industrial advancement in years, will be established in St. Boniface immediately. Announcement that the factory would be brought to St. Boniface was made by B. C. Mills, of Mills and Company, Winnipeg, following a special meeting of the Cathedral city council, when seven acres of land were sold for the site.

The plant, according to Mr. Mills, will be the Canadian branch of one of the largest aeroplane manufacturing concerns in the world, and it will be controlled entirely in Canada. The name of the parent company has not yet been divulged.

The seven-acre site of the new plant, which was sold with trackage, is known as the old Rat Portage Lumber Company's and old Arctic Ice Company's property, and is located between Tache Avenue and the Norwood Bridge.

Canada's North Is Real Beauty Land

Vivid Picture Of Charm Presented In R.C.M.P. Report

Canada's great Northland is pictured, not as a region of solitude and waste, but as a land of beauty and attractiveness, in the report of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, tabled in the House of Commons, East of the Great Slave Lake the scenic beauty is inspiring, according to Inspector Gagnon, who, describing a lengthy patrol to Fort Reliance says:

"The Hornby and Inconnu channels are the most beautiful routes possible; at every moment there is something to captivate attention, either in the abrupt shores or cliffs, or their varied coloration, or the thousand and one islands one encounters. Both channels are lined with innumerable pleasant little harbors."

"The waters are very clear and cold, and full of delicious trout."

There's a Reason

The Egyptian government is planning a motor road over the routes followed by the Israelites on their 40 years' journey to the Promised Land. But nothing is said as yet about drying up the Red Sea, says the Buffalo Courier-Express.

"What is it that lives in a barn, eats oats, walks on four legs, and can see as well from behind as from the front?"

"I'll bite. What is it?"

"A blind horse."

Powder in guns for 40 years was in good condition by University of Nevada.

Some years ago when our neighbors to the south betrayed an inclination to challenge Canada's right to her unoccupied Arctic hinterland, with particular reference to Ellesmere Island, the advisability of taking more active steps to prevent future trouble became apparent. That invaluable and highly efficient arm of the government, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, offered a ready-hand solution of the problem and shortly afterwards the business of establishing more northerly outposts was undertaken seriously. It began in 1920 with the placing of a detachment at Port Burwell, near Cape Chidley, at the northeastern tip of the continental mainland, to assist the Customs Department to control the inward and outward bound Hudson's Bay trade. Since then police posts have been located on all the three great islands forming the western boundary of the lane of water west of Greenland. That lane is comprised of Davis Strait, Baffin Bay, Smith Sound, Kane Basin and Kennedy Channel, hitherto, together furnishing the avenue of approach to the North Pole.

On Baffin Island, the southernmost of these boundary islands, three detachments of police are stationed: at Ponds Inlet, at the northern end; Pangnunguit, on Cumberland Gulf, and Lake Harbor, on the south, on Hudson Strait. On the central island, North Devon, is Dundas Harbor, and on Ellesmere Island, the northernmost, is a detachment at La Bache Peninsula, on Kane Basin, in latitude 79.04 degrees north. In addition, constables have been lent to the Royal Canadian Air Force for service at its bases on Hudson Strait, whence it kept ice conditions continuously under observation last winter.

From these various Arctic stations the whole northeastern archipelago has been and still is being controlled and administered. The police patrols have not hesitated to make very long journeys. For example, in the early part of 1927 the non-commissioned officer in charge of Bache Peninsula detachment crossed Ellesmere Island to visit the cluster of islands to the west—Axel Heiberg and others—some undiscovered territory until a quarter of a century ago. The journey lasted fifty-four days and covered about 1,300 miles.

About the same time a non-commissioned officer in charge of the Pangnunguit detachment made a patrol of about the same distance, skirting the southeastern coast of Baffin Island, and returning across the almost unknown interior. A constable, finding the body of a fur trader in his cabin on Baffin Island, hauled it out on his sled for 450 miles of difficult travel to Ponds Inlet for an inquest and Christian burial. The officers and non-commissioned officers in charge of mounted police detachments have commissions as customs collectors, postmasters, coroners, and magistrates. Bache Peninsula is believed to be the most northerly postoffice in the world. The Eskimos here have shown less disposition for violence than further west, but on one occasion, in 1920, a white man was killed by them near Cape Crawford, the northwestern tip of Baffin Island. The non-commissioned officer in charge at Ponds Inlet investigated, found the body, in his capacity as coroner held an inquest, arrested the accused, collected the witnesses and as magistrate committed the accused for trial. In 1923 a special court was sent from eastern Canada, which tried, convicted and sentenced those responsible for the homicide. There also have been cases of religious mania and homicidal insanity among these people. The relations between the police and the Eskimos are good.

When the Empress Dowager of China died, in 1908, her pearl necklace was buried with her. It contained nearly six thousand pearls and was valued at \$900,000.



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"How do you control your husband while you're away to these bridge parties," asked one lady of another at the last bridge fest. "I leave the baby with him," she replied.

"Do you know who that sweet little girl is I've been dancing with?" asked a local fellow of a Jarow girl at the dance here. "Oh, yes, that's mother," she replied.

The time has come, says a careful observer, when if a stocking isn't silk all the way up it might just as well not be silk at all.

A local composer, noticing the progress of a love affair between two young people here, has been able to compose the latest song hit. It is entitled, "She is Happy and He is Sappy."

"What's that piece of string around your finger for?" asked one fellow of another at the poker party last night. "My wife put it there so I would be reminded to mail her letter," the other responded. "Did you mail it?" asked the whole crowd, breathlessly. "No, she forgot to give it to me," was the reply.

Heard among the neighbors: "How's your car running?" "Not so good, I can't throttle her down." "Too bad. How's your wife?" "She's the same, thank you."

The story is told of an Edmonton citizen who got up early one Sunday morning last summer to let the ice man in, and not being able to find his bath robe he slipped on his wife's kimono. When he opened the door he was greeted by a nice big kiss by the ice man. And the only way he could figure it out was that the ice man's wife had a kimono just like the one he had on.

He criticized her pudding, he found fault with her cake. He wished she'd make such biscuits as his mother used to make. She didn't wash the dishes and she didn't make a stew, nor even mend his stockings as his mother used to do. His mother has six children, but by night her work was done; his wife seemed drudging always through though she only had the one. His mother always was well-dressed, his wife would be so too, if only she would manage as his mother used to do. Ah, well! She wasn't perfect, though she tried to do her best, until at last she thought the time had come for her to have a rest. So when one day he went the same old rigmarole through, she turned him up and spanked him as his mother used to do.

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Sweet clover is a biennial legume, a deep-rooted, vigorous-growing crop that will build up or re-new soils. It will grow and produce more hay, pasture or seed, under more adverse conditions, than any similar crop. It is adapted to a wider range of soil, from the best to dry, wet, gumbo, stony or alkaline, than is its nearest competitor, alfalfa. Sweet clover is without any doubt the surest seedling (and seed is as easily saved) of any of the forage crops grown. Hundreds of thousands of acres are being sown for pasture, hay and fertilizer from Florida to the Canadian Northwest. It makes good on all lime or alkaline soils. Like other legumes, it does not close on acid soils, which are the opposite of alkaline soils. Ten years ago this crop was a despised weed. Today farmers who are growing it, and scientists who have investigated its feeding value, soil-building properties and adaptability to varied soil and climatic condition, acclaim it the greatest crop find of the present generation.

For Pasture.

Sweet clover will pasture two to four times as much stock per acre as any other crop; all kinds of stock soon learn to relish it, and do so well, or better on it than any other pasture. It very seldom bleats cattle or sheep. It is especially valuable in replenishing old, worn pastures. For seeding on old pasture, Nature's method had best be followed. Sow the unstarved seed late in the fall, six to ten pounds if hulled, or twice as many pounds of unhulled seed per acre. Disking or harrowing will help to get the seed into the soil, and a light coating of manure will work wonders in helping the sweet clover to start. Sowing the seed—preferably scarified—on late snow in the spring, is also a satisfactory method, but not so good as fall seeding. Sweet clover starts very early, before any other grass or weeds, and if fall sown, the seed takes up moisture, and is ready to start at the first "solicitation of spring."

For Hay

Sweet clover will make two to four times as much hay and feed, especially in the very dry sections, as will timothy, clover or alfalfa. If there had been even half an acre of sweet clover cut for hay for every head of cattle in the Northwest during the past dry years, thousands more would have been kept on the farms where they are wanted and needed. Other crops may make nice feed but they are no better, and cannot be depended on as sweet clover can.

For hay, sweet clover may be seeded alone, or with a light crop of wheat barley or oats. If sown alone early, on good, well prepared land, a fair crop of hay and pasture may be secured the first year, but cutting or pasturing too close may shorten the crop the second year. For seeding sweet clover the land must be sold at seeding time. When sown with a nurse crop, it should be gotten in as early as possible—before the soil dries out. We seed six to ten pounds of scarified seed per acre, using a grass seed attachment on the grain drills, and sow the seed broadcast a foot or 4 rills. After seeding we use a heavy roller, preferably the frog-foot roller. A single disk drill covers the seed sufficiently but if a double disk drill is used, the field

should be harrowed lightly to cover the seed and then rolled. In the drier sections it should then be seeded alone on well prepared soil, late in the fall, early spring, or after the land has been worked several times to destroy weeds.

Putting the seed in with the grain is satisfactory if not seeded too deep. The seed may be sown alone as late as the first of June, if there is plenty of moisture in the soil, but it should have time to make a good growth before heavy frost. The biennial sweet clovers, during the first year, store up in large fleshy roots, food to make a big growth in the second year. The more stored, the better the growth will be the second year. Enough growth should be left in the fall to protect the crop to some extent during the winter.

To make good hay it must be cut before it gets too stemmy—before any bloom appears. A thick stand of white sweet clover must be cut high. It tends to branch out, and when growing thick the lower branch buds start and die. If the plant is cut below these dead buds, it will be killed. It must be cut above a live bud. Thin seeding may be cut lower.

We prefer to stack sweet clover before it is thoroughly dry, so that it will heat in the stack. This softens the stems so that the stock will eat them more readily. In dry regions the sweet clover may be cut and bound with a harvester for hay. The bundles should be set in small shocks to cure before stacking.

Sweet Clover Silage

The crop when cut very green should be allowed to partly dry before putting it in the silo. When mature it should be silaged as soon as cut. Sweet clover hay and silage should be fed the same as alfalfa or other silage—in combination with other feeds. Try sweet clover silage.

Soil Builder.

Sweet clover, or the bacteria in the nodules on the roots, is a great nitrogen gatherer. A crop of sweet clover plowed under will add as much nitrogen and humus forming material to the soil as a coating of manure. The deep tap roots go down two to four feet—"spikes of manure" driven into the soil to liberate plant food, allow the penetration of moisture, air and other plant roots. Greatly increased yields of all crops may be expected following sweet clover.

Increases Land Values

H. A. Krueger of Fairmont, Minn., owns a lot of land near Johnstown, N. D., and says his land has advanced twenty-five dollars per acre because so many of his neighbors have had such success with sweet clover. He is now sowing a large acreage on his farms. Sweet clover, properly seeded will outgrow and smother most of our worst weeds. It puts the land in shape so that crops grow in spite of weeds, and there is nothing that holds back land values like weeds. Sweet clover will kill them out and furnish good pasture at the same time.

The Dry Land Farmer's Salvation
A young farmer near Choteau, Montana, had seeded a field of sweet clover in 1918, and got only a partial stand on five acres. This he said kept a few cows during the summer of 1919, and enabled him to stay on his farm; otherwise he would have had to leave as did many of his neighbors. He is seeding more sweet clover as he says it is the most reliable crop he has ever tried.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES NIGEL CARISTON SETON, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF IRMA IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, Deceased, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of James Nigel Cariston Seton, who died on or about the 20th day of January, A. D. 1929, are required to file with the National Trust Company, Limited, 10076 Jasper Ave., Edmonton, or Agnes Seton, 10076 Jasper Ave. Edmonton, Executors of the Estate of James Nigel Cariston Seton, deceased, by the 31st day of May, A.D. 1929, a full statement, duly verified, of their claim and of any security held by them and after that time the executor and executrix will settle the estate of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims so filed only or which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 17th day of April, A. D. 1929.
FIGURE & KERR, Imperial Bank Chambers, Edmonton, Alberta, Solicitors for The National Trust Company, and Agnes Seton, Executor and Executrix of the Estate of James Nigel Cariston Seton, deceased.

WANT ADS

BRUSHING—Wanted to figure on brushing, any size at reasonable price.—John Baska, N.W. Sec. 3-45-8, Irma, Alta. 25-30P.

FOR SALE—A few good milch Cows.—H. W. Love, Irma.

FOR SALE—Good Piano "Ludwig" in first class condition. Apply Mrs. H. W. Love, Irma, Alberta.

STRAY CATTLE—Any stray cattle branded inverted N with bar extending from top left hand corner, on right rib; also piece out of underneath part of left ear, and piece out of top of right ear; kindly notify A. L. Dietrich, Fabyan. I will pay expenses and remove same. Phone 1804 Wainwright.

STRAYED—From N. W. of 20-44-8 with a Bay Mare, white strip in face, branded reverse G with bar under, on left shoulder. \$10.00 reward to finder. Geo. Rubnok, Irma, Alta. 26-8

WANTED—Tenders for breaking 40 acres. Apply D. L. Robertson, Phone 309 Irma, Alta. 27-31P

FOR SALE—Nice young pigs about 8 weeks old, your choice for \$4.00. N. V. King, Fabyan, Alta. Phone Wainwright 804. 27-31P

FOR SALE—Ford Car, 2 door Sedan, in first class condition, fully equipped. Reasonable price. Cash or will trade for cattle.—O. Steffensen, Irma, Alta., Phone 411. 27-9P

GROWING GREEN DUCKS

Growing Green Ducks is an occupation which returns handsome profits for the money invested. Experimental work at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, shows that Pekin ducklings averaged six pounds each in ten weeks, and made a net profit, over cost of feed and duckling, of \$1.38 each. The ducklings of the Pekin breed made at least one half pound heavier gains than ducklings of other breeds.

Ducklings intended for marketing as green ducks, should be of the Pekin breed because of their early development qualities, and they must be forced by special methods of feeding.

Fequent feeding promotes rapid growth. Young ducklings should be fed six times daily from the start until they are two or three weeks old, and five times daily until they are ready for market.

The feed used for growing ducklings at the Experimental Farm, Ottawa, is equal parts of bran, shorts and cornmeal with about ten per cent. beef meal added. A little charcoal (about one per cent.) is also recommended. This mash should be moistened with water, but not made sticky or sloppy. Add only sufficient water to make the meal stick together. Sprinkle coarse sand over the mash before feeding. The sand serves as grit and aids in the process of digestion. Feed only what the ducklings will eat up clean at each feeding.

After the ducklings are four or five days old some green food should be given such as clover or alfalfa which has been freshly cut, and chopped up fine. Start with only a small amount of this material and gradually increase it until the mash contains about one-fifth green feed.

When the ducklings are about six weeks old the green food should be gradually eliminated and at the commencement of the seventh week the mash should be changed to one possessing more fattening properties. The fattening mash used at Ottawa is 50 pounds cornmeal, 35 pounds shorts, and 15 pounds beef meal, with a sprinkling of coarse sand.

By the time the ducklings are ten weeks old they should be in excellent flesh and have developed their first coat of body feathers. This is the right time to market them. If they are kept longer they will change their feather, and the rate of growth will decrease, thus increasing cost and reducing profit.—A. G. Taylor, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ont.

ADDITION TO BUICK
LINE ANNOUNCED

Oshawa, Ont., April 9th.—Announcement has been made by R. S. McLaughlin, President, General Motors of Canada, Limited, that McLaughlin-Buick will add to its manufacture of Motor Cars by building a new six-cylinder automobile.

"The new car will offer a Buick-built product in a lower price field," he said. "It will be entirely different in design and appearance and will in no way replace or conflict with the established McLaughlin-Buick line. The name of the new car, together with its details, will be made public in the early summer."

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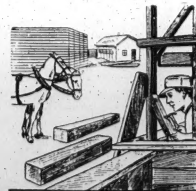
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BEAUTIFY CANADA



Clean Up, Paint Up, Keep It Up --- Increases the Value of Your Property

THE DRIVE TO FINISH OLD MAN DIRT IS ON

Greatest Effort in History of Canadian Cleanliness
Includes Hundreds of Communities

The greatest effort in the history of Canadian cleanliness is on! Cleanliness has a history. Its influence can be traced down the ages. Those faces that were clean were the faces that were Masters.

The Athenians, with their bath and beautiful houses conquered the Persians, with their unkempt beards and dirty skins. The Romans, with their aqueducts, their barbers, their gardens beat back the barbarians with their goat skins and greasy fingers.

Louis the Fourteenth was the dirtiest monarch France ever had and one of her mightiest. Fifth-century Panama Canal from being built years before it finally was. Bolshevism flourished when the dirty and the ignorant gained control in Russia. Anarchy breeds in filth and squall.

Cleanliness has always been po-

ent. Modern sanitation saved millions of lives in the great war.

Real people, the wise, the leaders in progress, always have fought for cleanliness. At times it has been a sporadic fight, a skirmish. A clean man was handicapped by a neighbor who let his premises run wild. But co-operation has been brought to play at last.

This year, in Canada alone, hundreds of villages, towns and cities are campaigning for cleanliness, health, and beauty. They are not doing so for a day or a week but in a continuous campaign. There is a steady pressure.

Tin cans, flies, refuse, dirt, waste paper, unsightly buildings, unpainted surfaces are taboo. The drive is on. I won't be stopped.

Join the forward movement. Clean Up, Paint Up, and Keep It Up. Make the old enemies, Dirt and Disease and Unsightliness abdicate forever.

The Use of Paint

Lessens Farmer's Cost of Doing Business

The farmer, like the manufacturer, must employ the most efficient and economical methods of doing business if he is to prosper. When he keeps track of costs he finds that by building of better material, buying better implements, and then taking care of them, he increases his power of production and lessens the drain on his income.

Next to the purchase of good materials, the use of good paint is the farmer's best insurance. It protects his property and equipment against the rapid deterioration caused by wear and weather. The protection and appearance of barns, fences, windmills, wagons, tanks, etc., are just as important as the careful upkeep of factory tools and machinery, and depreciation here should be figured as carefully by the farmer as by the manufacturer.

A few cents invested in paint and a little work each season will soon show in the lengthened life of your equipment to say nothing of the satisfaction you will take in its improved appearance. Here is a list of points that it will pay you to keep on hand.

Two-quart can of buggy paint in red and black, for painting up wagons and buggies.

A small can of aluminum paint, for interior iron work, such as stalls, stanchions, etc.

A small can of implement or spar varnish.

A half-gallon can of metal protective paint, for metal buildings. A good graphite paint is best for this purpose. Paint over regularly all such exposed metal parts as hoops, turnbuckles, outside hinges, door-hangers, iron hitching posts, etc.

A gallon can of barn color or house color for general repair work.

It is well also to periodically treat the inside of staved silos with the special compounds prepared for that purpose.

The life of fence posts can be prolonged three times if the lower part is treated with the compound used on silo staves. This can be most easily done by taking a full barrel of the preservative, putting half in another empty barrel, and letting the fence posts stand in them overnight. This treatment will make the poorest wood last longer than the best chestnut.

It has been proved that the painting of good galvanized wire fence doubles its life. In putting up a new

woven wire fence the painting can be done very easily by making shallow trough that will take in the roll of wire fencing. Turning the roll around in the trough and pouring the paint over it at the same time will thoroughly cover every part. A good metal paint is best for this purpose.

A point which makes concrete sufficiently non-absorbent to shed an ordinary rain greatly enhances the value of concrete buildings for cow stables, granaries, dairies, etc. The absorption of water through the walls has been the principal objection to such buildings in the past. Concrete paints come both in natural cement color and in several pleasing shades.

It is never advisable to try to paint an old shingle roof unless it has been previously painted, because the water gets under the shingles causing them to rot and curl up. It is always well, however, in putting on a new shingle roof to dip the bundles in a properly prepared shingle stain; this is especially true now—days as the quality of shingles is much poorer than formerly.

It is good policy not only to prevent deterioration with paint but also to forestall paint troubles. The commonest of all paint troubles is peeling, the chief cause of which is moisture, and moisture in turn is due to:

1. Dampness in the Wood. This means not only wood which is damp to sight and touch, but wood improperly seasoned, recently exposed to rain or fog or dew.

The pores in kiln-dried lumber are open and will soak up moisture; for this reason allow a new building to stand a month or two unpainted.

In short, if there is moisture in wood, heat will drive it either out or in. If heat on the inside of the house drives it outward the paint will peel.

2. Dampness Back Of the Wood. This is commonly due to green plaster. Too often in a hurry to complete a job the painters are put to work on the outside while the plasterers are finishing the inside. To complete the rush, about the time the paint is dry the furnace is started to dry the plaster. The moisture must find an outlet and is driven out through the exterior woodwork, carrying the coat of paint with it.

3. Ocher Priming Coats. Common on the cheap pigments, and when one remembers that the priming coat is the foundation on which the finishing coat depends, he does not have to be a paint manufacturer or dealer to appreciate how absurd is the statement so often made "Anything is good enough to prime with." Cheap ochre is nothing but clay stained, which makes a slippery, brittle paint.

4. Old Paint Loosely Attached To the Wood and Not Thoroughly Cleaned Away: If old paint is not firmly attached to the wood the contraction in the drying of the new paint will peel it off. Repeat before the old paint begins to let go. It's poor economy to delay repainting.

In case the under coat is brittle, scrape, sand-paper, and wire-brush all loose particles before repainting. If too far gone remove with a painter's torch. Always remember three thin coats of paint are better than two thick ones. The thick coats may



save a few dollars in the beginning but may cost more than double in the end.

5. Fat Resinous Wood Not Properly Seasoned Or Prepared For Painting. This is a common trouble due to the scarcity of well-dried lumber. The chief trouble is with yellow pine, which is full of turpentine and rosin. It is the rosin that causes the trouble. It mixes with the paint and makes it brittle. The knots are the worst spots and should be coated with shellac before painting. Turpentine dissolves rosin. This fact suggests much turpentine and little oil in the priming coat, and perhaps more turpentine than usual in the second coat, but, when every care is taken, paint will sometimes peel on yellow pine, where it is no fault of the painter or the paint. Liberal use of turpentine and vigorous use of the brush to work the paint into the wood are necessary to success on yellow pine.

6. Boiled Oil. Never use boiled oil in the priming coat; even when it is genuine boiled linseed oil; its preparation gives a glossy, varnish-like surface, and the priming coat should always be flat, or the succeeding coat will not adhere to it. Boiled oil should never be used for any coat outside painting.

Paint may fail from causes other than those named because of application on dirty or greasy surfaces; because of leaky roofs; because of the use of adulterated linseed oil and poor dryers; because the coats are too thick, or because the under-coats are not dry—but the majority of cases are covered by the causes specifically named in this article.

BABIES GAIN BY THIS SIMPLE METHOD

Doctors say, souring waste in baby's digestive tract is usually back of any failure to gain weight according to schedule. And the best proof of this is the fact that weak, fretful, puny babies improve when they cleanse their stomach and bowels and put them in order with a few doses of purely-vegetable, pleasant-tasting Fletcher's Castoria. This gentle, harmless preparation is the doctor's first thought to relieve those ill of babies and children, such as colic, gas, constipation, diarrhea, colds, etc. Just be sure you get genuine Castoria in the bottle that bears the Fletcher's signature.

Home Decoration

Large patterned material should be chosen only for large rooms, and then sparingly, as one is apt to grow restless from seeing too much of it. This does not mean that large designs are bad, but that they require extreme care and skill in their selection, whereas a small pattern is usually safe.

We have observed that the value of anything depends a good deal on whether you are wanting to buy it or trying to sell it.

Heart Trouble Hands and Feet Numb and Cold

Mrs. Wm. Fowler, Auburn, Ont., writes: "Several years ago I was troubled with my heart and nerves so bad, at times, my hands would become numb and cold. I took doctor's medicine for a while, but it did me little or no good. I happened to



advertised and started taking them at once, and continued for some time, and then I have had no return of my trouble." Price 50c. a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Rules For Fire Prevention

Do not permit rubbish, greasy rags, paper and useless waste to accumulate in or around buildings.

Do not allow matches kept in your homes, offices and stores in other than metal boxes. Use safety matches.

Do not allow children under ten years of age to use matches.

Do not use lamps and lamp burners that are not clean.

Do not tamper with or extend electric wire; employ an electrician.

Do not keep gasoline in either than air-tight cans painted red.

Do not fill tank of gasoline stove when lighted and fill by daylight only.

Do not permit a rubber tube connection to a gas stove.

Do not empty ashes in other than metal cans.

Do not carelessly throw cigar and cigarette stubs where they could cause a fire.

Do not fail to warn your children of the dangerous boilies.

Loss through preventable fires in the United States is \$250,000,000 which, however, is exceeded by the annual loss through the lack of painting—according to Prof. H. H. King, who has conducted paint tests for several years for the people of Kansas, at the Kansas Agricultural College.

Clean-Up and Paint-Up campaigns reduce fire losses and insurance rates; increases property values; remove unsafe buildings; save the fire; make school and home gardens; make cleaner alleys and yards; educate children in fire prevention and clean-up measures; plant trees; collect and utilize waste; make more attractive and safer homes and places of business; and develop a community spirit that permanently insures a cleaner, safer, healthier and more beautiful town.

Don't Neglect Painting Up

Make the Paint Brush the Partner Of the Scrub Brush In Your Campaign Against Dirt

Paint-Up goes hand in hand with Clean-Up. When you have dusted and swept and mopped the corners and the open spaces, put the paint brush to work. It will be easy to keep things clean then. A painted surface does not accumulate dirt like an unpainted one does. Besides, dirt is more obvious on a painted surface, and less apt to be ignored. Paintlessness is the best incentive to cleanliness—which you know is "next to godliness."

Make the paint brush the partner of the scrubbing brush. They make a whole team. Enlist both of them for Clean-Up and Paint-Up.

It doesn't need much argument to convince a man that his house and his barn and his whole farm will be worth more money if the buildings are kept in the best order.

Don't Forget the Garden

You Can Make Enough Out-Of-The-Back Yard To Paint Your House

Don't forget that garden this year. Gardens save thousands of dollars for householders, they conserve and add to the food supply and give many persons a healthy and inexpensive form of outdoor exercise.

Cultivating the back yard regularly will save enough money to save the house for years, by painting it regularly. The work is congenial and creates contentment—and "garden sass."

Clean-Up and Paint-Up On the Farm

The man who owns a farm or lives on one should be just as much interested in Clean-Up and Paint-Up as the city householder. And the incentive to start such campaigns has been as just as marked in the rural districts as in the more thickly populated ones.

Farmers everywhere are being urged to remove ramshackle buildings, repair and paint those that remain, trim hedges and trees, and clean and paint tools and machinery.

Holding of the Nationalist flag in Manchuria on December 31, placed the greater part of China under the Nationalist government.

Toothbrushes and handkerchiefs have figured among the tokens of valor presented by Chinese generals to the troops under their command.

These All Count

Here are some pointers for citizens who would regenerate their community with a real Clean Up and Paint Up campaign:

1. Take away all the ashes and trash from your back yard immediately. Send your rubbish to the dumping ground.

2. Suggest to several men with teams, that they drive through the alleys with a sign, "Clean-Up Wagon" on their wagons; also a "bell" calling attention. People are only too glad to pay such a man for hauling their trash away.

3. Burn all rubbish that will burn. Clean your vacant lots and alley ways.

4. Make your street and parking look as trim and well kept as possible.

5. Refrain from throwing old paper, banana and orange skins into the streets.

6. Plant some grass and flower seeds to make your home beautiful.

7. If your store front is dingy, paint it. Nothing will do more to improve the appearance of a town than the liberal use of paint.

8. If there are unnecessary, unsightly sheds in your back yards, tear them down. They detract from the beauty of your home and the town. Open spaces and fresh air are better.

9. If your walk is an eyesore to those travelling over it, repair it or build a new one.

10. Trim hedges and trees and spray trees.

11. Paint and whitewash barns, poultry houses, outbuildings, etc.

12. Paint tools and machinery.

The local "Clean Up and Paint Up" campaign offers the most direct and practical and permanent avenue through which women, organized or individual, can work for homes and home towns beautiful and sanitary.

For Health's Sake

Clean - Up and Paint-Up—Guard Against Epidemics By Removing Their Cause

Tuberculosis and other germ diseases are generally brought about by dirt and filth. The germs of tuberculosis cannot live where there is sunlight, cleanliness, and fresh air. The scrubbing brush, soap and water, paint and whitewash are deadly enemies of tuberculosis. The easiest way to get rid of the germs that have nested in your house and around your premises is: Clean-Up and Paint-Up.

The cleaning out of filth will keep down influenza, infantile paralysis, typhoid, and diphtheria, as well as tuberculosis. And the painting brush should follow the scrubbing brush so that the cleaned places may be kept clean.

Do you want a clean town? Then do your part. Go through your house from cellar to roof and gather up all the old, useless, worn-out things stored away and get rid of them now. Clean out all rubbish, ashes, etc., in the cellars, yards, alleys, and arcways.

Screen your homes thoroughly. Remove any animal or vegetable matter. Mature breeds flies, which carry disease to human beings, especially the babies. Clean out and fix up the manure bins. Repair your yard fences, poultry houses, out-houses, etc. Then paint or whitewash them. Don't spare the paint.

An ostrich's egg weighs three pounds.

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The Clean Town Is the Healthy Town

Germ Lurk In Filth and Clean-Up and Paint-Up Will Chase Them Away

It long has been a well known fact that dirt and disease walked hand in hand. Influenza, typhoid, pneumonia, tuberculosis, and other germ diseases exist because dirt exists. Get rid of dirt, and many diseases will be wiped out.

Cleanliness and the liberal use of the paint brush and mop and broom will make it hard for dirt to exist. If your town is spotless it will be a healthy town. And there is no better advertisement for a community than a low death rate.

Make your community clean and healthy. Wide-awake Canadian towns are conducting Clean-Up and Paint-Up campaigns, and Home and Community Beautiful campaigns as much for the sake of health as for the sake of beauty.

In Alameda, Cal., campaign workers went to the length of placarding houses with the inscriptions, "Clean," "Dirty" or "Filthy," as the case might be. It was heroic treatment but it proved effective.

Make your town a clean town and you will also make it a healthy one.

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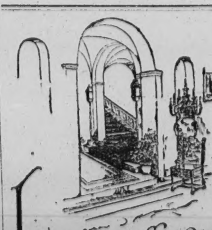
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Neither pretty pictures nor colorful adjectives will dye a dress or coat. It takes real dyes to do the work; dyes made from true anilines.

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CHAPTER XVII.—Continued

Connie made no attempt to check her cayuse's onward flight. She was in no mood to listen to the kudos of the admiring crowd; she wanted only to get away from the scene as quickly as possible. The movement toward the centre gave her the opportunity she desired, and she urged the weary cayuse through an opening on her left. Many hands were reached up to congratulate her, but she pushed her way through to the trail.

At the sound of hoof-beats behind her she turned to see Lafont urging his tired mount toward the Pemberton trail and looking back apprehensively over his shoulder.

Several men were running after him, shaking their fists and uttering loud imprecations. A man least of all behind a pack-pine to land in the path of the half-breed, lunged for the reins, missed, then caught the stirrup. Lafont struck the man a blow with his heavy whip that loosened his hold and felled him to the ground.

Connie saw Gillis break from the crowd, jump to the feeting man just as the latter disappeared in the

woods. Gillis waved his hand to her and vanished in pursuit. She urged Pegasus to the shelter of the timber as she saw her father and Donald running toward her.

The strenuous race and the spectacular fall had left both horse and rider in a badly shaken condition. Connie's body was bruised and sore, and her head ached horribly. The cayuse's strained muscles were still aching, he was limping badly, and his head drooped wearily as he dragged his tired limbs up the steep trail.

At the barn door Connie dismounted stiffly, removed the horse's bridle, then threw her arms passionately around his neck and stroked his symmetrical head with soft caresses. "Oh so sorry, Peggy darling," she said in a choking voice.

The horse nipped her shoulder in the moment of playfulness, as if to signify that he quite understood.

Connie's eyes brightened at a sudden thought. "Peggy, dear," she whispered softly as she nestled her cheek against his soft mane "do you know that I can have some nice clothes now? Lots and lots of nice things. I am going to buy you a blanket—a nice thick one for winter—and some ribbons for your mane. And you, Peggy—with a flood of tenderness in her voice—"you won't all this for me."

She was crooning sweet nothings in his ear that only Pegasus could understand when her father appeared, breathless from running, his face grey and anxious.

"Are you all right, Constance darling?"

Connie stepped forward. She was pale and weak, but her colourless lips tried to form a smile. "Yes, Daddy dear—I'm all right." Her voice trembled to a whisper and the blue eyes closed as darkness fell upon her like a cloud. Swaying uncertainly for an instant, she fell like a broken flower into her father's outstretched arms. For the first time in her life Connie had fainted. She lay like a child in his trembling arms, her upturned face wearing the pallor of death.

With a prayer on his lips and an agony of fear in his heart, her father carried her to the cabin and tenderly stretched the bruised little body on the coarse blankets of her bunk.

CHAPTER XVIII.

At the race-course the crowd added excitedly about the judges' stand, or stood in groups talking of the wonderful performance of the spotted cayuse that had made the erstwhile champion appear a mere tyro.

Gillis came riding slowly from the woods and was hailed by questioning shouts from a score of throats.

"Did you get him?"

A bloody handkerchief was wrapped around the big man's head, and a livid wet showed on his forehead. He smiled grimly as he dismounted. "I got the d—d skunk," he answered savagely.

He turned to a group of Indians. "You fellows better look out for you fellows who go along; his eyesight's kinda bad."

Donald came to the front of the judges' stand and held up his hand for silence. Gradually the hum of voices died away and the crowd turned to face him.

"As you know we are to take up a collection to add to the Company's purse. The gentleman below," pointing down at Andy, "will hold the hat. We have witnessed an exhibition of matchless skill and pluck. Give us a cheer."

The crowd cheered lustily. Then, joining each other, good-naturedly like a lot of schoolboys, they formed in a long queue.

Andy started the contribution by giving his whole roll of bills. Money showered upon him until he was forced to call for another hat.

"Fightin'" Jack came to Donald in great perturbation. "Say! Our gang's all story books. Can we sign a due-bill?"

Donald called the time-keeper. "Make her out for twenty bucks for each of us," said "Fightin'" Jack. Andy's spirits soared as the pile rose higher.

"God bless 'er little 'eart," he murmured, "she can 'ave a 'ole ship-load of them blinkin' camisole things."

An hour later, as Donald climbed the hill to deliver the prize, he met Doctor Paul.

"How is she, Doctor?"

"She's had a nasty shaking up, but there are no bones broken. She will have to remain in bed for a week or so."

Wainwright saw Donald coming and stepped outside the door to meet him. "She's sleeping," he said in a low tone. He looked questioningly at Donald as the latter passed him the package of money.

"The prize money," Donald explained.

Wainwright peeped at the contents and his face lit up with pleased astonishment. "I understood that the purse was to be a small one!"

When Donald told him of the collection Wainwright's face flushed hotly. "Is that the custom?" he questioned sharply.

Wainwright paced nervously with hands clasped behind his back. "Pardon my abrupt manner" he said contritely, "I am a bit out of sorts to-day."

Every evening Donald called at the Wainwright home, bringing little delicacies carefully prepared by Andy. Once he spoke to Connie from outside the door, and her answering voice gave him an odd thrill. He pondered over this as he made his way down the hill. He was struck by a sudden thought. His face broke into a smile and he shrugged his shoulders. "Nonsense," he said aloud.

Janet remained several days after her friends had returned to the city. She tried in vain to restore the familiar relations which formerly existed between herself and Donald. His evening visits to the cabin on the mountain deprived her of his company, and she, half-jestingly, reproved him for his inattention to her. With spirits depressed and a dependent look in her dark eyes, Janet returned to Vancouver.

One evening Wainwright gave Donald a letter to post, addressed to a big departmental store in Vancouver. A few days later there arrived numerous bundles and boxes, including a big trunk. Donald with the assistance of Gillis's crew carried them up the hill.

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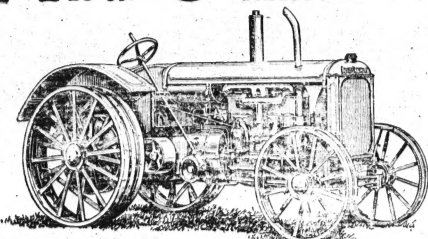
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Mr. J. O. Glenie has accepted a position as construction foreman with a Regina contracting firm and left yesterday to assume his new duties.

Mr. J. G. Clark, of Calgary, was in Irma a few days the first of the week. Mrs. Clark who has been seriously ill is not yet out of danger.

Irma Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 56 will celebrate the one hundred and tenth anniversary of the order by attending divine service at Irma United Church next Sunday afternoon. All members of the Order are requested to meet at the lodge room at 2 p.m. and march to the Church.

The British American Oil Co have a gang of men at Irma erecting a new warehouse West of the Northern Elevator. Judging from the number of new tractors and cars that have been sold during the last year there will be a big demand for their products. M. Richard Larsen, the Cockshutt agent will also act as agent for the British American Oil Co.

Four real estate transactions were closed in Irma during the past week. Mr. R. H. Stone, the local baker purchased two lots on Second Ave. from Mr. W. Cole, these lots are west of the property on which Mr. Cole is residing and is very desirable residence property. Mrs. I. F. M. Hipperson, purchased the two lots on Main St. south of the hotel from H. W. Love. Mrs. G. N. C. Higginson purchased the property west of the United Church Manse from Mrs. Jas. McDonald, while Mrs. McDonald purchased a quarter acre tract from Mr. J. H. Elliott.

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